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PATENT APPLICATION

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of Durward I. Faries, Jr. et al.

Serial No.: 09/973,988

Examiner: Bockelman, Mark

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For: Temperature Sensing Device for Selectively Measuring Temperature at Desired Locations Along an Intravenous Fluid Line

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**TRANSMITTAL OF RESPONSE**

Enclosed are the following documents in response to the Office Action mailed **September 14, 2004** for the above-identified application:

- ☒ Amendment/Response (23 Pages)
- ☐ Petition for Extension of Time
- ☐ Request for Approval of Drawing Changes
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement
- ☐ Notice of Appeal
- ☐ Associate Power
- ☐ Revocation and New Power
- ☐ Change of Address
- ☐ Return receipt postcard
- ☒ Translation of German Patent Document (DE 37 09 122 A1)

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Independent Claims	4	- 6 =	0	x \$88.00	0.00
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 14, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows.